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Please replace the paragraph on page 155, lines 16-20, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--residue: 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

5' g|gcc|gcG|GTA|CCG|ATG|CTG|TCT|TTT|GCT|qfk|qfk|-

26 27 28 29 30

|qfk|TTC|TGT|CTC|GAG|cgc|ccg|cga| 3' olig#14 (SEQ ID NO:127)--

Please replace the paragraph on page 155, lines 23-27, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--residue: 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26

5' g|gcc|gcG|GTA|CCG|ATG|CTG|TCT|TTT|GCT|qfk|qfk|qfk|-

26a 26b 27 28 29 30

 $|qfk|qfk|TTC|TGT|CTC|GAG|cgc|ccg|cga| \ \ 3' \ \ olig\#14a \ \ (SEQ \ ID \ NO:128)--$ 

Please replace the paragraph on page 216, lines 23-25, with the following rewritten paragraph:

--M K K S - rest of VIII

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and 97)